

PSYCHIC CONTACT WITH THE ETHERIC LEVELS

(Excerpts from the correspondence of "Dr. Kappa." *

Part III

My Dear M.L. :-

1. I sent a letter off to you this afternoon and will get started on another one in the hope that, I may get this information out and into action. My eyes are clearing up, the oculist could find nothing wrong with them, and from my friends I keep constantly hearing "how well you look", etc. This is strange and at times 5) rather disconcerting - for at the moment they are complimenting my good health I will actually be wondering if I am going to faint from the pain I am enduring. And I am astonished at my own reflection in the mirror, since I had confidently expected to look like the mask of death, at least... It is peculiar that I do not register any of the pain where it can be seen by others.

10) But there is an uncomfortable sense of being cut off from others, which I find perplexing and rather irritating. I am at an impasse with my 'occult' friends, the astrologers, metaphysicians etc. They are satisfied with themselves and their knowledge and absolutely closed to any new ideas. As far as the "Etherians" are concerned, they don't hesitate to suggest that I am in my dotage. I have never 15) known such a vast field of "authorities" until I came to America - nor had I witnessed such vigorous, and vicious competition and rivalry among the occult intelligentsia as Southern California has. I have just about given up hope of any cooperation from them, unless I can manage to show them how they can profit by it professionally. I have met E-W, P.B., G.H., C.I., and most of the "big shots"; but 20) it's like a sparring match, each of us fencing with the other, for fear of proving to be vulnerable in some way. All of this, plus my present Etherian experiences, has produced a strange sense of isolation in me... But there is a feeling of friendship and cooperation in your communications. And tell Mark P. that I haven't forgotten him ...

25) My experiences with Etheria have been steady and consistent, and I believe I am slowly acquiring a logical and communicable collection of data on this invisible but highly potent civilization. At first I was considerably perplexed as to why I should have been chosen as one of their guinea pigs. And it was not until I was forced to review just about my entire life, in order to understand these contacts, 30) that I began to see in what ways I actually was qualified for such a "mission." One of these ways involves my very extensive reading and my many years of experiment and study. The great mass of this I had "forgotten" - it had passed out of conscious awareness. But it was on this knowledge that I had to draw again and again. Items and facts connected with the Etherian planes would remind me of something I 35) had read, seen, or known years ago; and by comparison, deduction, elimination and selection I gradually resolved many things, at first utterly incomprehensible because of their Etherian nature, down into terms and aspects more or less familiar or associated with earthly qualities.

*NOTE: "Dr. Kappa" is obviously a pen-name, and one good reason for this anonymity can be found in lls. 10-25, above. And I have previously vouched for Dr. Kappa in every way, and would not otherwise pass on his communications to our Associates - so great is the importance which I, for one, attach to every veridical report concerning the Etherian peoples and their current Visitation.

M.L.

I have been visiting Etheria more or less regularly, at first with a guide or 40) sponsor, but now on my own. And had it not been for those years of experience in occult and superphysical fields, particularly in India and China, these visits would have been a total loss as far as factual knowledge and systematic instruction are concerned.

I have made as detailed and accurate a record of all this as I possibly could - 45) and produced no doubt what would seem little better than another science-fiction yarn if read at this stage. All these things have taken a terrific amount of mental and emotional manipulation, to maintain a fairly steady level in myself. I have experienced about every emotion known to the human pattern; and at times all I could do was to hold on and wait, until things returned to some likeness of normalcy. Every ounce of spare energy is now going into my journal, in the hope that, 50) in the event anything happens to me, there will be some sort of record left for people like yourself.

After having reviewed something of my earlier experiences with the "Masters" and their "Chosen Mouthpieces" I began to see how I was ripe for just such an experiment as the Etherian Council decided to give me. For years - my very young 55) years, I'll admit - I lived and breathed a magic glamour, surrounded by Masters, Rishis, World-Saviours etc. I questioned nothing. Blavatsky was law. Then came a tragic episode in which a very precious friend apparently went insane, seeking "Initiation." The "Masters" failed to be masters; Gurus, Rishis, Avatars all were powerless to aid in this very pitiful disaster. I came down to reality with 60) a bang and restored my friend to sanity after six years of incredible struggle and suffering in Southern China. But when I again picked up an interest in the "higher wisdom" it was with a vast scepticism and distrust of everything and everyone. I went from one extreme to the other. Eventually I found a working center which is now extremely useful and practical. I believe by now that I have punctured 65) most of the glamorous bubbles that make occultism the outrageous hodge-podge it is. For this reason I can properly evaluate the experiences I am having in Etheria - even though I may fail to identify them correctly and provide my friends with any practical system to avail themselves of the opportunities the Etherians wait to give them. But I am trying, and with a new and exhilarating sense of 70) "mission".

The main difference between my present understanding and my early conceptions is that I now comprehend the Etheric planes as basically real and enduring. And such states as the Astral zones, Devachan, and Nirvana must be regarded as inferior to Etheria, in that they provide no "solid" dimensions (such as we know now in this 75) "outer" world. They are thus "dream zones", "sleep planes", although filled with a certain amount of what seems to be sensible and positive activity. They are not "space zones" in the sense that Etheria and our earth are. Devachan, Nirvana, all such "places" are, as you know, states of mind - and are experienced as abstractions by all Yogis, mystics and the like. Etheria is not an abstraction, Any- 80) thing but! It is a thousand times more vigorous and wide awake than this crazy earth of ours, even with its atobombs and H bombs.

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My Dear M.L.

Yes, go ahead with whatever seems practical to you . . . I have confidence in your discretion as to what should be passed along to your Associates. 85) The idea of transporting individuals and whole colonies into Etheria is tremendously fascinating, I agree. And also eminently logical, as I see it now. In several areas of our globe the etheric vibrations are so close to our "outer" physical strata, that in many cases it will require only a moderate effort of will to "transport" oneself directly into these more desirable realms. The fact of 90) Etheria being right "here" is one of the points I am anxious to make clear to my friends.

Dr.Kappa: (con.)

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South America, many sections of Central America, vast portions of Canada and a few spots here in the United States are peopled with "Etherians" manifesting a quality and quantity of conscious culture vastly superior to the Earthlings and 95) their incredible hodge-podge of science and superstition, "spirituality" and barbarism. Indeed, as my familiarity with Etherian standards and principles increases daily, I am losing whatever confidence I had in the Humanity of our plane, confidence of its ability to apprehend the science of the supreme cosmic laws -- and its intelligence to grasp the wisdom of APPLYING that science with high moral 100) resolve and just plain good sense.

The Earthlings, myself included, have become unspeakably barbaric and depraved when compared with the sublime integration which the Etherians constantly in their personal and national relationships. It is not too disparaging a comparison to see in our Earthlings the antics of a cannibal, freshly arrived from the jungle, in top hat and tails, occupying the royal box at the opera - presuming himself to be lord and master of all his surroundings. He then proceeds to issue statements, make internationally profound commitments, and express his "personality" by sleeping thru most of the opera.

110) It is highly disturbing to realize that the above picture is duplicated, in essence, every hour of our days and nights by the "constituted authorities". There are no words to hold one's amazement at such conditions. One is paralyzed with stupefaction at the realization of what priceless treasures of wisdom and learning rest in the palms of the jungle lords - even though they have prodded Nature until she released her atomic mysteries.

There are several lines of resistance which the Etherian Elders have explained to me, which may, and probably will be of considerable value in salvaging the best our Earthlings have evolved - as well as the best representatives of our modern "civilization". I am working day and night on these plans ... there is so much 120, missionary work to put over before we really get into the qucik of the problem of enlightening our superior groups and contacting a great many isolated persons whose degree of intelligence and moral excellence have forced them to become hermits in effect, if not actually. . . .

I will try in my next letter to tell you something of the structure of Etheria and its conditions of life and evolution - so far as I have yet been able to understand these principles.

I am ... etc. (Dr.K.)

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We have often pointed out the enormous importance of collating and studying all concepts of the Ether(s), scientific, metaphysical, and occult. In the ethers lies the sub-stratum and causal energy of all the objects and phenomena of our physical-chemical world, and in Etheria is the homeland of the human race. This importance is equally great, from the standpoint of science, metaphysics, philosophy, and religion. Yet apart from certain scientific hypotheses and word-juggling, the subject is almost unknown to Western thought.

But of late, the concept of Etheric worlds and planes and life has been thrust upon us. Never will the phenomena of the "flying Discs" be understood in any other terms.

We take this opportunity to inform our Associates, that we have been informed (the information has not yet been verified) "it is now against secret government regulations to print stories about any flying saucer sightings in the press." It has also been suggested to the Director, that he "might learn a great deal more about this, by checking thoroughly the Internal Security Law recently made effective."

BSRA publications of course wish to cooperate in every way with all duly constituted authorities, and in behalf of the public welfare.

We have not yet been able to check the I.S.L. referred to. But we note that almost no reports of Discs (etc.) have appeared lately in the press. That does NOT mean that the phenomena have ceased.

If BSR publications cease to report sightings and related happenings, our Associates will easily guess at the reasons. *

Our private opinion of this campaign of suppression and deceit, and of the silly and lying articles in national magazines, being unprintable, will also remain unknown to our readers - unless they can guess at it.

Returning now to Etheria, which is where we came from (!) - we recommend the purchase of TWELFTH DISCOURSE, published by Soulcraft,** Noblesville, Indiana. This is one of the William Dudley Pelley publications, but whether you have confidence in Mr. Pelley or not doesn't matter just now. We recommend that you read at least the Section called The Transcendent Script, pp. 6-13, for an extraordinary account of the Ether, its nature and properties and cosmic functions. BSR Assoc. Jack Metcalf calls our attention to this, earns our gratitude and should receive yours. "I was amazed" writes Assoc. J.M. "to find that many of the conclusions you have reached are the same as those reached by Mr. Pelley." Say rather "the teachings of the Mark P. Controls - who support and reaffirm nine-tenths of everything set down in the article mentioned."

* But on the same day when these paragraphs were written, January 23, The San Diego Union printed a long article on this forbidden subject. So, the authenticity of this hush-hush order comes into doubt - but we let the above statements stand, since some degree of censorship there certainly is, and if the chirp of the Robin is stilled, you'll know why.

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It is to be understood that the teachings of this "Script" are those of spirit communicators; that is to say, not of Gods or Angels, but of intelligent human beings on the 'other side', who speak according to their own knowledge and the capacities of their hearers.

The Question of the Script is: What is the geographical location of the lands of the so-called dead? To answer this, say the Communicators, we must speak of the Ether. You die, and you enter a world which seems as real and substantial as the one you are leaving. But the matter of this new world is etheric, and the Ether is the cosmic stuff, the essence of all creation. All which exists is built out of something which pre-existed - backward to infinity; form out of form, substance out of substance. The proton and electron, the neutron and photon are are not final units, but derivative. And the "real" is a matter of viewpoint; the excarnate person simply becomes able to perceive substances and objects composed of etheric matter.

Matter is a product of the play of thought-energy on the Ether. It is the union of thought-forms with electrical discharge put by thought into the ether (the "Etheric Postulate"). The Ether itself is forever renewed out of cosmic reservoirs of Being which is Substance. Thought formations give it design and create "Etheric Units".

As to the nature of Thought - no one knows what it is; but it can be described as a self-sufficient force permeating the whole of space. To Thought there is no such thing as distance. And every thought "hooks up" with other thought, of other beings or of a Cosmic Mind. This correlation is what makes prayer effective.

Matter (as usually understood) is perceptible to earthly senses; then comes a form not so perceptible. Say that this fills in the inter-spaces of molecules and atoms. Within the atoms are other atoms and molecules - and within these, still others. And there are as many aspects of reality as there are degrees of spirit perception. This is the clue to the question "where do the dead go when they die?". They don't "go" anywhere. They acquire the power to see and touch the objects of an etheric world.

Where are the objects of this etheric world? you ask. They are right in the same locations as earth objects are. They exist in the same dimensions. When an excarnate being returns to your earth level, he lowers the rate of his etheric vibration; then his senses function on your plane and he perceives objects visible to you also. This is mediumship from or on the Etheric - psychical phenomena in reverse. But the spirit lives in a world which interpenetrates with your own. The 'empty' spaces within the atom are relatively enormous (as science well knows)

I have summarized some 12 pages of the booklet. They expound once more the basic concepts we have been putting forward for five years past, with reference to the origin of the Flying Discs and their related phenomena. They are etheric craft operated by Etheric people - though not by excarnate humans. They are almost infinite in form and come from all regions of space - and space, for thought, is not something to be traversed.

The Mark P. Communicators have plunged deeper, into the metaphysics

and philosophy. They have pointed out that Space, Time, Causation, perhaps other categories also, are things of the mind, innate forms of thought, ways of perceiving the world, and NOT objective existents. This teaching is as old as philosophy, familiar not only in the Orient, but in European philosophy as well. Plato and Berkeley and Kant, Locke and Hume and Descartes are the great names associated with it. It is called subjective idealism, pluralistic spiritualism, the "All-Consciousness School", and by various other designations, and of course has many phases and modifications. These things are mentioned, only to enforce the assertion that the "Ethereic hypothesis" (and the explanation of the Discs) is not some fantastic invention, but is rooted in ancient and profound philosophy. And it is 'good' science too - at least good speculative science. It is not likely that any scientist-philosopher of real attainments will deny this.

Once again, a caveat. It is conceivable that our own scientists may yet be able to learn the secret of the Discs and even to construct similar craft. It is not inconceivable that inhabitants of other planets may also have learned or have long preserved such knowledge. Not all of our visitors are, necessarily, people who have been born (and die) on the Etheric planes. They are not, necessarily, all alike, in appearance or character or degree of knowledge. Our knowledge of this matter, here in the West at any rate, is a glow-worm spark in the illimitable darkness of our ignorance. It is widely believed, also, that there are other races on our globe, within the interior of the earth - and they too are not (necessarily) all of one character or the same degree of evolution. What those people are capable of, is unknown to us. When we say, 'the Discs and related phenomena are Etheric in origin', we mean many and most of them - we do not pretend to explain everything, or very much, by tagging them with the word Ethereic. But in this word, these concepts, we have a key and a clue of momentous import.

The days of planetary isolation are ended. Rather let us say they have never existed. But our blindness and stupidity and complacency have existed for ages and continue to rule our 20th century "enlightenment."

Pater Noster, sapientiam nos da! Et fiat voluntas tua, per aeonas!